

School Mediation

Name of organisation:

The Independent Society for Education and Human Rights (SIEDO)

GOALS OF THE MEDIATION PROGRAM

- To create an equal partnership of students, school authorities to identify causes of conflict,
- To give students responsibility for coming up with solutions for their conflicts,
- To empower students to seek negotiated solutions with each other and school personnel.
- To develop skills for students to become catalysts for change in the society
- To increase the self/esteem as well as critical thinking and problem solving/abilities of students
- To develop the abilities of students to facilitate difficult discussions
- To bring students to use skills acquired in the program as an alternative method of solving their daily conflicts
- To empower teachers and school administration to run peer mediation in schools
- To strengthen the partnership between SIEDO and other social partners (teachers, educational officials)